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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 6292

BILL NUMBER: SB 56

NOTE PREPARED: Feb 23, 2012

BILL AMENDED: Jan 26, 2012

SUBJECT: University Board of Trustees.

FIRST AUTHOR: Sen. Eckerty

FIRST SPONSOR: Rep. Speedy

BILL STATUS: CR Adopted - 2nd House

FUNDS AFFECTED: ☒ **GENERAL**
DEDICATED
FEDERAL

IMPACT: State

Summary of Legislation: (Amended) This bill adds definition of a "research intensive campus".

The bill removes a requirement that all members of the Ball State University Board of Trustees be residents of Indiana. It removes a requirement that at least one member of the Ball State Board of Trustees be a resident of Delaware County.

The bill modifies the manner in which alumni members of the Indiana University Board of Trustees are elected. It allows the board of trustees of Indiana University to hold meetings at the dates, times, and places the board of trustees agrees upon. The bill also repeals a provision concerning emergency appointments to the board of trustees of Indiana University.

Effective Date: (Amended) January 1, 2012 (Retroactive); July 1, 2012.

Explanation of State Expenditures: (Revised) The addition of the definition of research intensive campus should have no fiscal impact.

The bill could increase travel expenses for the Ball State University Board of Trustees, depending on where the individual trustees live. There are nine board members, so the increase in expenses would be minor.

The changes specified in the bill concerning Indiana University Board of Trustees could potentially reduce costs by a minimal amount

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

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State Agencies Affected: Ball State University; Indiana University.

Local Agencies Affected:

Information Sources:

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